From La Crosse, via Galesville, Pigeon Creek, and omerville, to Eau Claire. From Eau Claire, via Rock Creek, in Dunn county,

Bear Creek, Little Bear Creek, Buffalo Prairie, to Alma.
From Watertown City, via Farmington, Rome, and
Oak Hill, to Palmyra.
From Waubeek, in Dunn county, to Hudson, in St.

Croix county.

From Prescott, in Pierce county, via Carson's and Eaton's Mills, Waubeek, Dunnville, Eau Claire, Chippewa Falls, Weston's Rapids, to Necedah, in Adams county.

From Fountain City, in Buffalo county, via Waubeek

Menominee, to St. Croix Falls.

From Steven's Point, via Chippewa Falls, to Hudson.

From Muscoda to Mineral Point.

From Reedsburg, via Rockbridge, Fancy Creek, Reedstown, New Brookville, Bad Axe, and Retreat, to Desola,

in Bad Axe county.
From Muscoda, via Orion, Reedstown, and Viroqua From Toland's Prairie, via Alderly and Ashipun, to Watertown.
From Palmyra, in Jefferson county, to Watertown. From Wankesha, Wankesha county, to West Bend,

Washington county.

From Eau Claire, via northeast corner of section twen ty-seven, near Ettings, to Alma, in Dunn county. CALIFORNIA.

From Placerville to Georgetown, in El Dorado county.
From Placerville, via Newtown, to Indian Diggins, in
El Dorado county.
From Uniontown, in Humboldt county, to Trinidad, in

From Uniontown, in Humboldt county, to Trinidad, in Klamath county.

Tom Nevada, via Hoyt's Crossing, on the South Yuba Sweetland, Sebastopol, San Juan, in Nevada counted Truman's Crossing, on the Middle Yuba river, Lotonville, in Yuba county.

From Crescent City, via Waldo and Cloverville, to Jacksonville, in Oregon Territory.

From Napa City to Clear Lake.

From Napa City, via White Sulphur Springs, Knight's Ranch, Alexander's Ranch, on Russian river, to Santa Rosa.

From Monterey, via San Luis Obispo, to Santa Bar MINNESOTA.

From Port Ridgeley, via South Pass of the Rocky Mountains, Soda Springs, head of Humboldt river, Heney Lake, and Noble's Pass, in the Sierra Nevada mountains to Shasta City, California.

From Minneapolis, via Excelsior, to Gleneve.

From Owatonee, via Geneva, to Albert Lee's.

From Cannon Falls, via Mautonville, High Forest, Elk horn, Spring Valley, and Forestville, to Elliotta. From Forestville, via Arnoldsville, Minnesota, to Wes Union, Iowa.
From Chatfield, via Marion and Rochester, to Fari-

From Lickville to Belle Plain. From St. Cloud to Otter Tail City. From Otter Tail City to Leech Lake.

From Otter Tail City to Crow Wing.

From Crow Wing, Minnesota, to Superior, Wisconsin
From Leech Lake to Pokegoman Falls. From Anoka, via St. Jonathan, to Snake river. From St. Paul, via St. Jonathan and Princeton,

Ojibwa. From Elk river, via St. Jonathan, to Sunrise City. From Taylor's Falls to St. Jonathan. From Chatfield, via Washington and Spring Valley, i dinnesota, to Osage, Iowa. Prom Chatfield, via Washington and Harrison, to Aus

From Chisago City to Chengwatana. From Chisago City to Taylor's Falls. From Chisago City to Marine Falls.

From Chisago City to Stillwater. From Austin to Manketa. From St. Peter's, via Bancroft, Minnesota, to Brad rd, Iowa. From Red Wing to Albert Lee's.

From Wabashaw, via Centreville and Rochester, t From Northwood to Greenwood.

From Red Wing, via Mazeppa, to Oronoka. From Otter Tail City to Breckenridge. From Twin Lake, via Carlton's and Oneota, to

From Blue Earth City, Minnesota, to Algona, Iowa. From St. Paul, via White
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hisago City, to Alhambra.
From Chisago City to Cambridge.
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and, to Lansing, Iowa.

From Winona, via Money creek, Houston, Yucatan, and Relleville, to Decorat, Iowa. From Tepecotah to Faribault.
From Tepecotah to Chaifield.
From Tepecotah to Black river Falls, Wisconsin.
From Henderson, via Redstone City and New Ulm, to

the Falls of Sioux river. From South Bend, via Butternut Valley, to New Ulm From Oronaka to Faribault. From Pokegammon, via Ojibwa, to Mille Lac City. From Little Falls to Mille Lac City.

From Elliotta, via Leroy and Austin, to Elliotta.

From St. Peter, via Glencoe, to St. Cloud.

From Carmen Falls, via Kenyon and Rice Lake, Austin.

From St. Peter, via Wilton and Austin, to Dekora OREGON.

From Port Orford, via Randolph and Empire City, Coose county, to Winchester, in Douglas county. NEW MEXICO. From Las Cruces, via Mesilla, in Dona Ana county,

From Sueson, via Arizona, Colorado City, to San Diego From El Paso, via Mesilla, Sucson, Arizona, and For Yuma, to San Diego, California. WASHINGTON.

From Olympia, via Arcadia, to Oakland KANSAS. From Kansas City, Missouri, via Wyandotte, Kansas Quindars, and Lawrence, to Lecompton.
From Kansas City, via Delaware City, to Leavenworth

City.
From Tecumseh, via Walkarusa City, to Richardson From Westport, Missouri, via Bloomington, Paris, and Sugar Mound, to Confichiqui, Kansas.

From Paoli, via Assawatomie, Bloomington, and Paris to Sugar Mound. Frem Lecompton, via Davis and Midway, to Paoli.

From Paoli, via Brooklin and Paris, to Sugar Mound. From Crawford Seminary, via Talequa, to Fort Smith. Approved, March 3, 1857. Public 39.

AN ACT to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the service of the fiscal year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven. Be it enacted by the Senats and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the service of the fiscal year ending the thirtieth of June, in the service of the fiscal year ending the thirtieth of June,

eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, out of any money i the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, namely: For the compensation of the officers, clerks, messen gers, and others receiving an annual salary in the service the Senate, viz:

For an additional messenger from first February to the thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, at twelve hundred dollars per annum, four hundred and ninety-six dollars and sixty-six cents.

For increase of compensation of the superintendent in charge of the Senate furnaces, from fourteenth August, eighteen hundred and fifty six, to thirtieth June, eighteen eighteen hundred and fifty six, to thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, at one hundred and twenty dollars per annum in addition to former salary, one hundred and four dollars and seventy-eight cents.

For contingent expenses of the Senate, viz: For the Congressional Globe and binding the same three thousand two hundred and eighty-six dollars and

CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE SENATE. For clerks to committees, pages, police, horses and carryalls, fourteen thousand seven hundred and one dollars.

For stationery, four thousand dollars.

For reporting proceedings, sixteen thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven dollars and forty-four cents. For miscellaneous items, two thousand and six hun-For clothing for the army, camp and garrison equipage three hundred and thirty-two thousand and fifty-six dol

three nuncred and thirty-two thousand and fifty-six dol-lars and eighteen cents.

For the regular supplies of the quartermaster's depart-ment, consisting of fuel for the officers, enlisted men, guard, hospital store houses and offices, forage in kind for the horses, mules, and oxen of the quartermaster's department at the several posts and stations, and with the armies in the field; for the horses of the two regiments of dragoons and two regiments of cavalry, the regiment of mounted riflemen, the companies of light arregiment of modules transmiss, the companies of infantry as may be mounted, and for the authorized number of officers' horses when

Dekora, Lodi, and West Point, to Prairie du Sac, in Sank county.

From Bellville, in Dane county, via New Glarus, to Monticello, in Green county.

From Prairie du Chien, via Eagle Point and Neceda, to Steven's Point.

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ousand dollars.

For the increased compensation of clerks in the assay fice in New York, authorized by the act of third March, ghteen hundred and fifty-five, two thousand dollars.

For the incidental and contingent expenses of the anch mint at San Francisco, California, forty thousand

branch mint at San Francisco, California, forty theusand dollars.

For the salary of the surveyor general of Utah Territory for the fiscal year ending thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, fifty dollars.

For amount due for the construction of the marine hospital at Vicksburg, Mississippi, seven hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty-eight cents.

For amount necessary to complete the custom-house at Louisville, Kentucky, forty thousand dollars.

For amount necessary to complete the custom-house at Bath, Maine, five thousand five hundred dollars.

For compensation of two clerks in the Department of State, authorized by the act of Congress approved eighteenth August, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, three thousand one hundred and thirty dollars and forty-three cents; being from the eighteenth August, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, to the thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven.

FOR CONTINGENT EXPENSES OF THE HOUSE OF REPRE-For folding documents, including folding-paper, envelopes, and other folding materials, twenty thousand dollars.

For furniture, repairs, and boxes for members, two

For furniture, repairs, and boxes for members, two thousand dollars.

For laborers, three thousand dollars.

To indemnify the Clerk for such sums as he may have expended for books under a resolution of the House of Representatives of July seventh, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, and to enable him under said resolution to furnish for each member and delegate of the House of Representatives who has not heretofore received the same the following enumerated books, viz: Gales & Seaton's Register of Debates, Congressional Globe and Appendix, Public Land Laws, Instructions and Opinions, Elliott's Debates, Diplomatic Correspondence, Opinions of the Attorneys General, in five volumes, Finance Reports, Gales & Seaton's Annals of Congress, John Adams's works, Jefferson's works, to be supplied from the numbers of said work now in charge of the librarian, Hickey's Constitution, and Mayo's and Moulton's Pension and Bounty Land Laws, one hundred and thirty-eight thousand Bounty Land Laws, one hundred and thirty-eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated; provided they be furnished at prices not exceeding those for which they were heretofore supplied, and provided also that said books be forwarded by the Clerk to such public library in the district of each of said members and delegates as may be designated by said member and delegate.

Contingent expenses House of Representatives:

For stationery, eight thousand five hundred and fifty

For miscellaneous items, five thousand dollars For the purchase of one hundred and forty-two copies of the first and tenth volumes of the works of John Adams

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for the members of the thirty-second Congress, six hundred and thirty-nine dollars.

For the reappropriation of five hundred and eighty-five dollars heretofore carried to the surplus fund, being the smount appropriated for the engraving of fifty-one thou-sand five hundred and twenty copies of the mechanical part of the Patent Office Report for eighteen hundred and fifty-one.

To supply a deficiency in the appropriation for books for members of the thirty-third Congress, three thousand

dollars.

To enable the clerk of the House of Representatives to pay to John C. Rives the additional compensation for the Congressional Globe and Appendix provided in the sixteenth section of the act making appropriations for cer-tain civil expenses of the Government for the year ending thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, eleven thousand one hundred and seventy-four dollars and sixtynine cents.

To enable John C. Rives to pay to the reporters of the

House the usual additional compensation for reporting the debates of the present session, eight hundred sollars

each, four thousand dollars.

For the completion of the printing heretofore ordered by the Senate and House of Representatives, and paper for the same, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars. For fees of witnesses in behalf of the Government in the Court of Claims, and of agents or attorneys to be appointed by the solicitor thereof to attend to the taking of depositions, five thousand dollars. ARMY.

To meet the expenses of nurses and attendants, author rized by the third section and better organization additional story to packing-house and purser' the of the medical and hospital artment of the army, store, embankment around machine shop, gutters for rope-walk, extension of dry-dock, for completion of for National story to packing-house and purser' the of the medical and hospital artment of the army, store, embankment around machine shop, gutters for pen rope-walk, extension of dry-dock, for completion of for National Story to packing-house and purser' the rope-walk, extension of dry-dock, for completion of for National Story to packing-house and purser' the rope-walk, extension of dry-dock, for completion of for National Story to packing-house and purser' the rope-walk of the For a reappropriation of fifty thousand dollars of the balance of the appropriation for the medical and hospi-tal departments, which was carried to the surplus fund

tal departments, which was carried to the surplus fund thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and fifty-three, for the payment of claims applicable to said department, accruing during the war with Mexico, and not yet settled by the Treasury Department, fifty thousand dollars.

For transportation of the army, including the baggage of the troops when moving either by land or water, of clothing, camp and garrison equipage, from the depot at Philadelphia to the several posts and army depots, horse equipments, and of subsistence from the places of purchase and from the places of delivery, under contract, to such places as the circumstances of the service may require it to be sent, of ordnance or ordnance stores and require it to be sent, of ordnance or ordnance stores and small arms, from the foundrie, and arsenals to the arsenals, fortifications, frontier posts, and army depots; freights, wharfage, tolls, and forages; for the purchase and hire of horses, mules, and oxen, and the purchase and repair of wagons, carts, drays, ships, and other searches are the state of the state o and repair of wagons, carts, drays, snips, and other sea-going vessels, and boats for the transportation of supplies and for garrisen purposes; for drayage and cartage at the several posts, hire of teamsters, transportation of funds for the pay and other disbursing departments, the expense of sailing public transports on the various rivers, the Gulf of Mexico, and the Atlantic and Pacific, and for procuring water at such pos's as from their situation require that it be brought from a distance, seven hundred

thousand dollars.

For completing the repairs of the branch mint at New Orleans and rendering the same fire-proof, one hundred and twenty thousand six hundred and sixty-one dollars. For seamen's wages, repairs, and incidental expense of light vessels, occasioned by damages, loss of moorings and for necessary expenses in recovering said vessels broken adrift during the late storms and freshets, and by floating ice, forty thousand one hundred and five dol-

by floating ice, forty thousand one hundred and five dol-lars and sixty-two cents.

For expenses of raising, cleaning, painting, repairing, re-mooring, and supplying losees for buoys, and for chains and sinkers, occasioned by damage, losses, and for necessary expenses in recovering and restoring buoys and their appendages during the late storms and fresh-ets, and by floating ice, thirty-seven thousand five hun-dred and sixty-two dollars and sixty cents.

For restoring spindles and repairing day beacons de-stroyed or damaged by the late storms, freshets, and floating ice, fourteen thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

dollars.

For defraying expenses of the desince of suits against the United States for lands occupied by marine hospitals, lighthouses, and fortifications at the darbor of San Francisco, California, thirty thousand deflars.

To defray expenses incurred in preparing plans and estimates of cost of a new jail for the District of Columnia, the control of the columnia of the columnia

bis, and of a building for the proper accommodation of the Department of the Interior, five hundred dollars. Sec. 2. And be it further enacted. That the extra com Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the extra compensation given by each of the two Houses of Congress, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-six, to its officers and employes, shall be paid by its disbursing officer out of the contingent fund, and his accounts therefor shall be allowed by the accounting officers of the pasury Department. But nothing herein contained small be so construed as to repeal the joint resolution of twentieth of July, eighteen hundred and filty-four, "to fix the compensation of the employes in the legislative department. pensation of the employes in the legislative department of the Government, and to prohibit the allowance of the usual extra compensation to such as seceive the benefit hereof," which said resolution is hereby declared to be in full force and effect, except so far at herein provided

Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, That the provision of the thirteenth section of "An act miking appropria-tions for certain civil expenses of the Government for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighter hundred and fifty-six," allowing to the several disbursit ragents for the late California Land Commission the same convensation for the receipt and disbursement of money allowed to other disbursing officers of the Government ed to other disbursing officers of the Gove lifornia, was intended to apply and is hereb apply and give said compensation as well we bursing agent was a member of said Commis other cases.

[Approved, March [Approved, March

[Public-No. 40.1 AN ACT making appropriations for the naval service for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hun-dred and fifty-eight.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representative f the United States of America in Congress assembles

million eight hunded and fifty-five thousand rour hand dred and fifty-doll s.

And the Secretary of the Navy be and he is hereby authorised to enlineight thousand five hundred men for ki the navy instead observe thousand five hundred, and to expend so much o his amount as may, in his opinion, be necessary to transport officers and men to and from he Panama, to relieve he officers and crews of ships in the

be necessary to trisport officers and men to and from handred dollars.

Panama, to relieve he officers and crews of ships in the Pacific.

For provisions or commission, warrant, and petty officers and seame including engineers and marines and fifty dollars.

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For increase, reair, armament, and equipment of the navy, including to wear and tear of vessels in commission, see thousand dollars.

For rednance and ordnance stores and small arms, in the civil catabilishments at the several navy yards and stations, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

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For contance and chartery and also for the purchase of nautical instruments required for the use of the navy; for repairs of the same, and is a station of the purchase and machinery, repairs of and attending to the purchase of nautical instruments; and for the purchase of nautical books, maps, and charts, and for backing and binding same, sight state and the purchase and repairs of several purchases, and an activation, principles of the purchase of nautical books, maps, and charts, and for backing and purchase of navy-yards and antending of the purchase of navy-yards and activation, principles and the purchase and order of the purchase of navy-yards and activation, principles and the purchase of navy-yards and the purchase an

MARINE CORPS. For pay of the officers, non-commissioned offi sicians and privates, clerks, messengers, stewards, and servants, for rations and clothing for servants subsistence and additional rations for five years' service of officers, for undrawn clothing and rations, bountes for recers, for undrawn clothing and rations, boundes for re-enlistments, and pay for unexpired terms of previous service, three hundred and fifty-nine thousand six hun-dred and ninety-one dollars and sixty-eight cents.

For provisions for marines serving on shore, fifty-four thousand five hundred and thirty-one dollars.

For clothing, fifty-five thousand two hundred and sixty-

For fuel, twenty thousand two hundred and eighty-one dollars and eighty-seven cents.

For military stores, repairs of arms, pay of armorer, for accoutrements, ordnance stores, flags, drums, fifes, and musical instruments, nine thousand dollars.

For transportation of officers and troops and expenses of recruiting, twelve thousand dollars.

For repairs of barracks and rent of temporary barracks and offices, eight thousand dollars.

For contingencies, viz: freight, ferriage, toll, cartage, and wharfage, compensation to judges advocate, per diem for attending courts martial and courts of inquiry, for constant labor, house tent in lieu of quarters, burial of deceased marines, printing, stationery, postage, apprehension of deserters, oil, candles, gas, forage, straw, furhension of deserters, oil, candles, gas, forage, straw, furniture, bed sacks, spades, shovels, axes, picks, carpeters' tools, keep of a horse for the messenger, pay matron, washerwoman and porter at the hospital hea quarters, and for the building of two cisterns at hea quarters, thirty-two the passend five hundred dollars.

YARDS.

For the construction and completion of works and for the current repairs at the several navy yards, viz: PORTSMOU H, NEW HAMPSHIRE.

For removing ledge coal house, offices, and muster-room, tank shed, lodge for ordinary, engine-house, for preparing moorings or the deep basin, repairs of all kinds, one hundred and twenty-four thousand four hun-

rope-walk, extension of dry-dock, for completion of foundry, machine, and boiler shop, completing dock-en-giue, dredge-boat and scows, reservoir, water-closets and floating stages, repairs of all kinds, three hundred and eighty thousand three hundred and ten dollars.

NEW YORK. For reservoir, yard fence, water closets, and lightein rods; paving and flagging; repairs of dry-dock; usay wall; dredging; engine-house; completing foundry, pachine, and boiler shop; completing smithery, saw-mill, and carpenters' shop; timber shed; heating plumbers' and block shop; machinery for foundry, boiler shop; smithery, and coffee-mill; filling in new purchase; repairs of all kirds, three hundred and eighty-six thousands.

sand one hundred and seventy, we dollars.

For the construction of a sew upon Flushing avenu
to Vanderbilt avenue, thence through the United State
grounds to the Wallabout Water, sixty thousand dollars.

Provided, That the city of Brooklyn shall pay one-ha of the cost of the same on Flushing avenue. PHILADELPHIA.

For addition to smithery, addition to engine-house, lredging channels, repairs of all kinds, seventy-three housand and seventy-five dollars. WASHINGTON.

For completing slotting-machine; grading and filling yard; dredging; muster office; machinery and tools; repairs of all kinds, one hundred and nineteen thousand and eighteen dollars.

For quay wall and dredging, extension of boiler and forge shop, a timber shed, commencing ship-house num-ber forty-eight, commencing victualling establishment and purser's store, furnaces, cranes, and tools for foun-dry, spar shed, completing ship-house B, shed number forty-eight, and store-house number fourteen, complet-ing dock-engine and carpenters' shop, repairs of all kinds, three hundred and fifty-eight thousand eight hun-dred and twelve dollars dred and twelve dollars.

For extension of granite wharf; foundry; dredging; launching ship; improving spar pond and railway to same; completing fire engine-house, rail tracks, steam, box, pitch, and oil houses; repairs of all kinds, two hundred and three thousand dollars.

For timber shed with mould loft above; coopers' and

For repairs of buildings, two thousand five hundred NEW YORK. For completing cemetery, repairs of buildings and ences, seven thousand two hundred dollars.

NAVAL ASYLUM, PHILADELPHIA. For south wall on Shippen street; grading, paving and curbing Shippen street; repairs of furnaces, grates, cleaning, and whitewashing; gas, water rent, and furniture; repairs of all kinds, fifteen thousand eight hundred dollars.

For building and completing surgeon's house, repairs of brick walk, and current repairs of buildings, twenty-two thousand one hundred and fifteen dollars. PENSACOLA.

For draining and filling ponds, and for general repair buildings, sixteen thousand dollars. of buildings, sixteen thou MAGAZINES For the construction and completion of works, and the current repairs of the several naval magasines:

PORTSMOUTH, NEW HAMPSHIRE For fitting and furnishing ordnance building ductors, and for repairs of all kinds, four the hundred and twenty-three dollars.

BOSTON. For repairs of all kinds, one thousa

That the following ums be and they are hereby appristed, to be pai out of any money in the Tream not otherwise approviated, for the year ending the tieth of June, eight en hundred and fifty-eight:

For pay of commission, warrant, and petty officers are men, including to engineer corps of the navy, and million eight hund d and fifty-five thousand four hundred fitty deliberation of a more five fitty fitty

For building wharf at Fort Mifflin and repairs of all tinds, ten thousand one hundred and seven dollars.

For repairs of ordnance building, four thousand eight

the civil establishments at the several navy yards and stations, one hundred and twenty-eight thousand three hundred and eighty-two dollars.

For the purchase of nautical instruments required for the use of the navy; for repairs of the same, and also of astronomical instruments; and for the purchase of nautical books, maps, and charts, and for backing and binding the same, eighteen thousand dollars.

For printing and publishing sailing directions, hydrographical surveys, and astronomical observations, fifteen thousand dollars.

For continuing the publication of the series of wind and current charts, and for defraying all the expenses connected therewith, eighteen thousand dollars.

For models, drawings, and copying; postage, freight, and transportation; for working lithographic press, including chemicals; for keeping grounds in order; for fuel and lights; and for all other contingent expenses of the United States Naval Observatory and Hydrographical office, eight thousand dollars.

For the wages of persons employed at the United States Naval Observatory and Hydrographical office, viz: one lithographer, one instrument maker, two watchmen, and lorter, three thousand one hundred and sixty dollars.

evection, improvement, and repairs of buildings, and support of the Naval Academy at Annapolis, Maryland, Torty-two theorems, and seven dollars and twenty-two cents.

dollars.

For preparing for publication the surveys of the late expedition to the North Pacific Ocean and Bhering Straits, and for finishing the publication of charts made by the late expedition for the exploration and survey of the river La Plata and tributaries, six thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars: Provided, That the whole expense shall not exceed the sum hereby appropriated.

For the appropriation of this sum, (carried to the surplus fund,) being the amounts due Thomas Barnum, of Connecticut, for prize money, as appears from the prize list of the Eric squadron on file in the office of the Fourth Auditor of the Treasury, two hundred and fourteen dollars and eighty-nine cents.

aid eighty-nine cents. Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That to enable th Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That to enable the Secretary of the Navy to test useful inventions and discoveries applicable to and designed to advance the efficiency of the navy, the sum of ten thousand dollars is herby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and the same is subject to his

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Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, That hereafter it shall to lawful for the Secretary of the Navy to place the supervision of the compilation and publication of the Nauteal Almanac in charge of any officer or professor of nathematics of the navy of competent qualifications:

Arounded, That such officer or professor when so employed shall receive no higher pay than the duty pay to the this greate shell envirile him.

hich his grade shall entitle him. Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the acts making Sec. 4. And be it further enacted. That the acts making puropriations for the naval service of the fifth of August, ighteen hundred and fifty-four, and of the third of tarch, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, shall be so contrued as to allow to the boatswains, gunners, sailmakers, and carpenters of the navy, when on shore duty, the same per centage for sea service as is allowed to them

then on sea duty.
Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of Sec. 5. And be it further enacted. That the Secretary of the Navy be and he is hereby authorized to cause to be instructed for the United States navy, at as early a day a practicable consistent with a due regard for economy in efficiency, five sloops-of-war, to be provided with corew propellers, and properly armed and equipped for service; said vessels and machinery to be built by contract or in the Government navy yards as the Secretary of the Navy may think most advisable for the public present; and that there be and is hereby apply the Navy for the purpose above specified, the states of the purpose above specified, the states of the secretary of the purpose above specified, the states of the secretary of the Navy for the purpose above specified, the states of the secretary o he Navy for the purpose above specified, the su-fillion dollars, out of any money in the Trea

erwise appropriated. the Navy is he if further enacted self at p of the Navy is he if further enacted self at p of the wharf at the by an mat Philadelp , and an the plat of ground con of from the asylum by Shippen street, if in his opinion a fair price can be obtained for it, the proceeds to be carried to the credit of the Naval Hospital fund, from which fund they were pur-

chased.

Sec. 7. And be it further enacted. That the Secretary of the Navy beand he is hereby directed to have prepared, and to report to Congress at its next session for its ap-proval, a code of regulations for the government of the navy, which shall embrace such general orders and forms for the performance of all the necessary duties incum-bent on the officers thereof, both ashore and affoat, inluding rules for the government of courts martial and ourts of inquiry, as well as to establish the rank and recedence of each grade of officers in the line of promoion, and the relative rank and precedence ashore and officers and petty officers of all grades not in the line of

Sec. 8. And be it further enacted, That the sum of so sec. 8. And be it further enacted, That the sum of seventy-one thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be applied in carrying out the provisions of the third section of the act to amend an act entitled "An act to promote the efficiency of the navy," granting one year's duty pay to the dropped officers who have died or may die before receiving such warrant or certificate.

Approved, March 3, 1857.

AN ACT in addition to an act more effectually to provide for the punishment of certain crimes against the United States, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, amount so received under this provision shall be deductamount so received under this provision shall be deducted from the pay to which they will be entitled under the sixth section of the said act to amend the "act to promote

the efficiency of the navy." Sec. 9. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Navy be and he is hereby authorized to cause to be extended and completed the exploration of the Parana and the tributaries of the Paraguay river: Provided, That the expense thereof shall not exceed twenty-five thousand dollars, which are hereby appropriated for that purpose out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise

appropriated.
Sec. 10. And be it further enacted, That the Secreta ries of War and the Navy be authorized, under the direc ion of the President, to employ such officers of the army and navy as may be necessary for the purpose to make exploration and verification of the surveys already made of a ship-canal near the Isthmus of Darien, to connect the waters of the Pacific and Atlantic by the Atrato and Turando rivers: Provided, That the expense shall not exceed twenty-five thousand dollars, which are hereby appropriated therefor out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 11. And be it further enacted, That, for prepar-

For timber shed with mould loft above; coopers' and paint shop, with tank shed; coppersmiths', timbers', and paint shop, with tank shed; coppersmiths', timbers', and plumbers' shops; two blocks of officers' houses; two cisterns; permanent wharf; mooring piers, grading, and paving; repairs of all kinds, three hundred and ainetynine thousand eight hundred and eight dollars.

SACKETT'S HARBOR.

For repair of ship-house, fences, and other buildings, one thousand dollars.

HOSPITALS

For the construction and completion of works, and for the current repairs of the several naval hospitals:

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For repairs of buildings, two thousand five hundred when waiting orders in the pavy of the United States when waiting orders in the pavy of the United States

when waiting orders in the navy of the United for five years from the time of said annexation; and a for the years from the time of said annexation; and a sum sufficient to make the payment is hereby appropri-ated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided*, That the acceptance of the pro-yisions of this act by any of the said officers shall be a full relinquishment and remuneration of all claim on his before any register or receiver or either or both of them part to any further compensation on this behalf from the of any local land office in the United States or any Terri United States Government, and to any position in the tory thereof, or when any oath, affirmation, or affidavit shall be made or taken before any person authorized by Approved, March 3, 1857.

[PUBLIC-No. 41.]

ACT for the relief of certain actual settlers and cultivators who purchased lands, subject to graduation, within the limits of the Choctaw cession of eighteen hundred and thirty, at a less rate than the true graduated price, under the "Act to graduate and reduce the price of the public lands to actual settlers and cultiva-

ustion price, and who settled upon and im-

proved the lands entered, or who entered the same for the benefit of an adjoining farm, and who continue to occupy the same, shall be entitled (provided the entries are regular in all other respects) to receive patents for the lands so entered, settled upon, and occupied, without any additional payment being required of them, upon their making the proof required by the circulars from the General Land Office, dated the twenty-third of January and the seventh of April, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, any law to the contrary notwithstanding: Provided, That no proof shall be required which is not necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this sot.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the act of May nineteen, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, entitled "An act to authorize the Legislature of Mississippi to sell the lands heretofore appropriated for the use of schools in that State and to satisfy and approve the sales already made," be so construed as to apply to lands

sales already made," be so construed as to apply to lands heretofore reserved for school purposes in the State of Mississippi. [Approved, March 3, 1857.

[Public—No. 42.]

AN ACT making appropriation for the transportation of the United States mail by ocean steamers and otherwise during the fiscal year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not

the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight:

For transportation of the mails from New York to Liverpool and back, three hundred and forty-six thousand five hundred dollars.

For transportation of the mails from New York to New Orleans, Charleston, Savannah, Havana, and Chagres, and hack two hundred and sixty-one thousand dollars.

Orleans, Charleston, Savannah, Havana, and Chagres, and back, two hundred and sixty-one thousand dollars. For transportation of the mails from Panama to California and Oregon and back, three hundred and twenty-eight thousand three hundred and fifty dollars.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the following sums be and the same are hereby appropriated for the service of the Post Office Depertment for the year ending the thirtieth of June, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight, out of any moneys in the Treasury arising from the revenues of said department, in conformity to thousand eight hundred and thirty-six:

For transportation of the mails between Charleston and Havana, a sum not exceeding fifty thousand dollars.

nd Havana, a sum not exceeding fifty thousand dollars.

For transportation of the mails across the Isthmus of anama, one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars. Approved, March 3, 1857.

[PUBLIC—No. 43.]

AN ACT to amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the better organization of the Treasury, and for the collection, safe keeping, transfer, and disbursement of

the public revenue."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representation Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the act to provide for the better organization of the Treasury, and for the collection, safe-keeping, transfer, and disbursement of the public revenue, approved August sixth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, be and the same is hereby so amended that each and every disbursing officer or agent of the United States, having any money of the United States entrusted to him for disbursement, shall be and he is hereby required to deposit the same with the Treasurer of the United States or with some one of the assistant treasurers or public depositaries, and draw for the same only in favor of the persons to whom payment is to be made in pursuance of law and instructions; except when payments are to be made in sums under twenty dollars, in which cases such disbursing agent may check in his own name, stating that it is to

pay small claims. Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the Treasurer of the United States, assistant treasurers, and public depositaries shall safely keep all moneys deposited by any disbursing officer or disbursing agent of the United States, as well as any moneys deposited by any receiver, collector, or other person which shall be the moneys of or due or owing to the United States, and for a failure so to

do shall be held guilty of the crime of embezzlement of said moneys, and subject to the punishment provided for embezzlements in the act to which this is an amendment.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of each and every person who shall have moneys of the United States in his hands or possession to pay the same to the Treasurer, the assistant treasurer, or public depositary of the United Statas, and take his receipt for the same, in duplicate, and forward one of them forthwith the secretary of the Secretary of the Treasury, and for a failure to make such deposit when required by the Secretary of the Interior.

Approved, March 3, 1857.

AN ACT for the construction of a road in the Territory of Nebraska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States in Longress assembled. That the sum of thirty thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury after the Secretary of the Interior.

[Approved, March 3, 1857.]

AN ACT for the construction of a road in the Territory of Nebraska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the sum of thirty thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury after the Omaha Reserve and Dahkota city, to the Running Water river, in the Territory of Nebraska, said road to be constructed under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior.

[Approved, March 3, 1857.]

A RESOLUTION relative to sections sixteen and thirty-six, in the Territories of Minnesota, Kansas, and Nebraska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the sum of thirty thousand dollars be and the sum of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the sum of thirty thousand dollars be and the sum of the Vinited States of America in Congress a Approved, March 3, 1857.

Cook county (Illinois) volunteers.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all those officers and soldiers of Major David Bailey's battalion of Cook county (Illinois) volunteers stationed at Fort Dearborn, in the Black Hawk war of eighteen hundred and thirty-two, who have never received war-rants for bounty land for service in said war, shall be entitled to receive a certificate or warrant from the Denartment of the Interior for one hundred and sixty acres of land, upon making proof either by record evidence or such parol evidence as the Commissioner of Pensions may require of having served in said war for the term of at least fourteen days; the provisions of this act to ex-tend to the widows and minor children of said officers and soldiers who have died or may die before receiving

for the punishment of certain crimes against the United States, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That if any person or persons upon the high seas, or in any arm of the sea, or in any river, haven, creek, basin, or bay, within the admiralty jurisdiction of the United States, and out of the jurisdiction of any particular State, and out of the jurisdict shall unlawfully and wilfully, but without malice afore thought, strike, stab, wound, or shoot at any other per son, of which striking, stabbing, wounding, or shooting such person shall afterwards die upon land, within or without the United States, every person so offending, his or her counsellors, aiders, and abettors, shall be deemed guilty of the crime of manslaughter; and upon conviction thereof shall be punished as is hereinafter provided.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That if any pers upon the high seas, or in any arm of the sea, or in any river, haven, creek, basin, or bay within the admiralty jurisdiction of the United States, and out of the jurisdic or strangling another person, or by any means not con-stituting the offence of an assault with a dangerous weapon, such offender, upon conviction thereof, shall b

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the crime of manslaughter, as provided for by this act, and all other acts heretofore passed, shall be punished by imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for a period not ex-ceeding three years, and a fine not exceeding one thou-

sand dollars, at the discretion of the court. Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act are hereby repealed: Provided, however, That this repeal shall not affect any act done before, or any prosecution pending at the time of the passage of this act; but all such acts shall be indictable and punishable, and all such prosecutions shall be proceeded with as the same would have been in lictable and punishable and proceeded with as if this act had not been passed.

Sec. 5. And be it further enasted, That in all cases where any oath, affirmation, or affidavit shall be made or taken the laws of any State or Territory of the United States to administer oaths or affirmations or take affidavits, and such oaths, affirmations, or affidavits are made, used, or filed in any of said local land offices or in the General Land Office, as will in cases arising under any or either of the orders, regulations, or instructions concerning any of the public lands of the United States, issued by the Commissioner of the General Land Office or other proper officer of the Government of the United States, as under the laws of the United States, in any wise relating to or price of the public lands to actual settlers and cultivators," approved the fourth of August, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any person or persons who may have entered, in good faith, lands subject to graduation within the limits of the Choctaw cession of eighteen hundred and thirty, before the correct graduation lists had been received at the local land offices, at a less rate than the ceived at the local land offices, at a less rate than the graduation price, and who settled upon and im-

Approved, March 3, 1857.

Public—No. 46.

AN ACT.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the selection of swamp and overflowed lands granted to the several States by the act of Congress approved September twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and fifty, entitled "An act to enable the State of Arkansas and other States to reclaim the swamp lands within their limits," and the acts of the second of March, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, entitled "An act to aid the State of Louisiana in draining the swamp lands therein," heretofore made and reported to the Commissioner of the General Land Office, so far as the same shall remain vacant and unappropriated, and not interfered with by an actual settlement under any existing law of the United States, be and the same are hereby confirmed, and shall be approved and patented to the said several States, in conformity with the provisions of the act aforesaid, as soon as may be practicable after the passage of this law: Provided, however, That nothing in this act contained shall interfere with the provisions of the act of Congress entitled "An act for the relief of purchasers and locators of swamp and overflowed lands," approved March the second, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, which shall be and is hereby continued in force, and extended to all entries and locations of lands claimed as swamp lands made since its passage.

Approved, March 2, 1857.

[PUBLIC-No. 47.]

AN ACT to construct a building for a custom-house and post office at Perth Amboy, New Jersey.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of twenty thousand dollars, with ten per That the sum of twenty thousand dollars, with ten per cent. thereon to cover contingencies, and so much as may be required to purchase a suitable site, be and the same are hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the construction, in the city of Perth Amboy, in the State of New Jersey, for the accommodation of a custom-house and post office, of a brick building perfectly fire proof, with floors constructed on iron beams and buck arches, and an iron roof of forty-five by thirty-two feel.

Leet high: Provided, That no money the state of the custom-house and post office, or a brick of the purchased of the constructed on iron beams and buck arches, and an iron roof of forty-five by thirty-two feel.

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be or remain the owner thereof. Approved, March 3, 1857.

[Public-No. 48.] AN ACT to increase the pay of 12 adets at the West

Be it enacted by the Senate and a of Representatives of the United States of America h longress assembled, That the pay of the cadets at the litary Academy at West Point shall hereafter be thirty dollars per month. Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That this act shall take effect from and after the passage thereof.

Approved, March 3, 1857. [Public-No. 49.]

AN ACT providing for the construction of a military road between Port Steilacoom and Bellingham bay, in the Territory of Washington.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Represe of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated for the purpose of con-structing a military road between Fort Stellacoom and Bellingham bay, in the Territory of Washington, the said road to be constructed under the direction of the Secretary of War, pursuant to contracts to be made by [Approved, March 3, 1857

[Public-No. 50.] AN ACT for the construction of a road in the Territory

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress becomined. This where any settlements, by the erection of a dwelling house or the cultivation of any portion of the land, shall AN ACT to extend the provisions of the act entitled "An act in addition to certain acts granting bounty land to have been or shall be made upon the sixteenth of thirtyin sixth sections (which sections have been received by lat the military service of the United States" to the offi- for the purpose of being applied to the support of schools cers and soldiers of Major David Bailey's battalion of in the Territories of Minnesota, Kansas, and Nebraska, and in the States and Territories hereafter to be erected out of the same) before the said sections shall have been or shall be surveyed; or when such sections have been or may be selected or occupied as town sites, under and by virtue of the act of Congress approved twenty-third of May, eighteen hundred and forty-four, or reserved for public uses before the survey, then other lands shall be selected by the proper authorities, in licu thereof, agreeably to the provisions of the act of Congress approved twentieth May, eighteen hundred and twenty-six, entithed "An act to appropriate lands for the support of schools in certain townships and fractional townships not before provided for. And if such settler can bring himself or herself within the provisions of the act of fourth of September, eighteen hundred and forty-one, or the occupants of the town site be enabled to show a compliance with the provisions of the law of twenty-third May, eighteen hundred and forty-four, then the right of preference granted by the said acts, in the purchase of such portion of the sixteenth or thirty-sixth sections, so settled and occupied, shall be in them respectively, as if such sections had not been previously reserved for school purposes. [Approved, March 3, 1857.

SOUND NATIONAL MORALITY.

FILLIBUSTERING PROPENSITIES OF THE AMERICAN PEO-PLE.—The inclination of the Americans to colonize, as. they would call it, or to fillibuster, as it may perhaps more appropriately be denominated, is beginning to attract the attention and excite the indignation of the world. It is thought to be inexcusable in us to covet that which is our neighbor's when we have so many millions of acres of land still lying wild and unoccupied. There is no giving as an excuse a territory too small and straitened for our population. There is no surplus multitude unable to find employment and starving for lack of soil whereon to raise their bread. It is perhaps still more wonderful tion of any particular State, shall attempt to commit the crime of murder or manslaughter, by poisoning, drowning, that a thing so manifestly wrong should call forth no. heartier rebuke or meet a more emphatic condemnation from a moral and religious people. What explanation is to be given of this? There is even a suspicion that there punished by imprisonment, with or without hard labor, for a period not exceeding three years, and a fine not exceeding one thousand dollars, at the discretion of the these proceedings. The true answer, we presume, is this, it corresponds but too well with the conventional morality of the world. Mankind have always had the moral infirmity to endeavor to persuade themselves that they might innocently do evil that good might come, provided the good largely and manifestly prependerated over the evil. The Americans flatter themselves that they have the best Government and the most perfect civilization in the world, and it is such an immeasurable boon to bestow it on any country now laboring under despotism or anarchy, or a bad government of any kind, that it is perfectly allowable to convert it to democracy or republicanism by the sword. They have not improved their patrimony as they might, and therefore it is justifiable in another nation to take it away.

This is no new doctrine, but rather seems to be as old as history itself. * * * But we hope that our Government will never be induced by any consideration to violate the principles of natural justice by permitting the organization and emigration of adventurers to any foreign State. Navy and army ought to be put in requisition if necessary to put a stop as far as possible to all such fillibustering proceedings. This is but in accordance with the general principles of the Government and its policy and practice, as laid down in the late inaugural of the new Administration .- Raltimore Sun

UNCLAIMED DIVIDENDS .- The last General Assembly of Virginia passed an act, which went into operation the lst January last, requiring the banks and all other incorporated joint stock companies to pay over to the State treasury all dividends due to stockholders which have been standing and uncalled for for two years and upwards preceding the said 1st of January. The parties to whom said dividends may be due will then have to look to the State for their money.